

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA  
NEW ALBANY DIVISION

IN RE:	)	
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KENTUCKIANA MEDICAL CENTER, LLC,	)	CHAPTER 11
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Debtor	)	CASE NO. 10-93039-BHL-11
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**APPLICATION OF DR. JEFFREY CAMPBELL FOR ALLOWANCE AND PAYMENT  
OF ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE CLAIM PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 503(B)(1)**

Dr. Jeffrey Campbell ("Dr. Campbell"), by counsel, files his Application for Allowance and Payment of Administrative Expense Claim Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 503(B)(1) (the "Application"). By this Application, Dr. Campbell seeks entry of an order allowing an administrative expense claim as of the date of this Application in the amount of \$329,694.24, and ordering payment thereof. In support of this Application, Dr. Campbell states the following:

**BACKGROUND AND JURISDICTION**

1. This Court has jurisdiction over this Application and the relief requested herein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157 and 1334.
2. This is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2).
3. Venue is proper before this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409.
4. The statutory bases for the relief requested herein are 11 U.S.C. § 503(b)(1)(A) and 11 U.S.C. § 507 (a)(2).
5. On September 19, 2010 (the "Petition Date"), Kentuckiana Medical Center, LLC (the "Debtor") filed its voluntary petition for relief pursuant to Chapter 11 of

title 11 of the United States Code (the “Bankruptcy Code”) in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Indiana, New Albany Division (the “Court”). The Debtor continues to operate its business and manage its property as a debtor-in-possession pursuant to §§ 1107(a) and 1108.

6. Since the Petition Date and up to and including the date of this Application, Dr. Campbell continues to serve as one of the “on-call” physicians at Debtor’s facility. As of the date of this Application<sup>1</sup>, the Debtor owes an amount not less than Three Hundred Twenty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Ninety-Four Dollars and Twenty-Four Cents (\$329,694.24) for services rendered by Dr. Campbell after the Petition Date (the “Unpaid Wages”) as well as monies advanced by Dr. Campbell to Debtor to fund operations (“Advanced Funds”). Attached hereto as **Exhibit A** is an accounting of Unpaid Wages and Advanced Funds along with copies of checks evidencing Advanced Funds.

7. As of the filing of this Application, Dr. Campbell has not received payments on the Unpaid Wages and/or the Advanced Funds.

#### **RELIEF REQUESTED**

8. Dr. Campbell requests that this Court enter an Order (1) granting Dr. Campbell an allowed administrative expense claim in the amount of the Unpaid Wages and Advanced Funds for post-petition amounts owed to Dr. Campbell by the Debtor; (2) providing that the allowed administrative expense claim be entitled to priority distribution pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(2) and (3) directing the Debtor to promptly

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<sup>1</sup> Dr. Campbell anticipates filing additional application(s) for payment for services performed after the date of this Application to the extent that Debtor fails to remit payment for such services in the ordinary course of business.

pay the allowed administrative expense claim in the amount of \$329,694.24 in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code and by no later than the time of payment of any other allowed administrative expense claims.

### **BASIS FOR RELIEF**

9. Section 503(b)(1)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code provides for the allowance of administrative expenses, after notice and a hearing, for “the actual necessary costs and expenses of preserving the estate, including – (i) wages, salaries and commissions for services rendered after the commencement of the case.” 11 U.S.C. § 503(b)(1)(A).

10. Section 507(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code affords priority to administrative expenses allowed under section 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(2).

11. After the Petition Date, Dr. Campbell has routinely provided “on-call” physician services at the Debtor’s facility. Dr. Campbell has not received any payment for the post-petition services rendered on behalf of the Debtor’s estate. The “on-call” physician services are an actual and necessary cost of preserving the Debtor’s estate. As a medical facility serving patients overnight, the Debtor requires the services of a nightly physician in order for the Debtor to operate its business.

12. In addition, to assist Debtor in maintaining the operation of the facility, Dr. Campbell has advanced funds on several occasions to Debtor.

13. For the foregoing reasons, Dr. Campbell requests that he be granted an allowed administrative expense claim in the amount of \$329,694.24 pursuant to Section 503(b)(1)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code. Dr. Campbell further requests that the allowed administrative expense claim receive priority distribution pursuant to Section 507(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**RESERVATION OF RIGHTS**

14. Nothing herein shall be construed as a waiver or limitation of the rights of Dr. Campbell to pursue any and all claims he holds against the Debtor. Dr. Campbell expressly reserves its right to assert additional claims against the Debtor and its estate and to amend, modify or supplement this request.

WHEREFORE, Dr. Campbell respectfully requests this Court to enter an Order (i) granting Dr. Campbell an allowed § 503(b)(1)(A) administrative expense claim in the amount of \$329,694.24, which claim is entitled to priority distribution pursuant to § 507(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code; (ii) directing the Debtor to promptly pay the allowed administrative expense claim amount of \$329,694.24 in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code and by no later than the time of payment of any other allowed administrative expense claims, and (iii) granting such other relief as is just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on July 10, 2013, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was mailed electronically through the U.S. Bankruptcy Court's ECF System at the electronic addresses as set forth in the ECF System to the U.S. Trustee and all other persons receiving electronic notifications in this case.

/s/ Michael W. McClain

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